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**Mail Stop Patent Application**  
**Commissioner for Patents**  
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New U.S. Continuation-in-Part Patent Application  
Title: **TISSUE PATCHES AND RELATED  
DELIVERY SYSTEMS AND METHODS**  
Inventors: Charles PUGSLEY et al.

Sir:

We enclose the following papers for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above patent application.

1. Application - 30 pages, including 2 independent claims and 36 claims total.
2. Drawings - 11 sheets of drawings (Figures 1A, 1B, 2, 2A, 2B, 3, 3A, 3B, 4A, 4B, 5A, 5B, 6, 6A - D, 7A-C, 8A-C, 9, 10, 11A-G, 12-14, 15A, 15B, and 16)
3. Declarations and Powers of Attorney.
4. Recordation Form Cover Sheet and Assignments to Scimed Life Systems, Inc.
5. Information Disclosure Statement with PTO-1449 and nineteen (19) references.
6. The filing fee is calculated as follows:

Basic Application Filing Fee					\$770	\$ 770.00
	Number of Claims		Basic	Extra Claims		
Total Claims	36	-	20	16	x \$18	\$ 288.00
Independent Claims	2	-	3	0	x \$86	\$
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TOTAL APPLICATION FILING FEE						\$ 1,058.00

7. A check for \$ 1,098.00 is enclosed. The fee includes:

\$ 770.00 filing fee;  
\$ 288.00 additional claims fee; and  
\$ 40.00 Assignment recordation fee.

This application is a continuation-in-part of prior Application No. 10/428,801, filed May 5, 2003. This application is being filed under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b).

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Please accord this application an application number and filing date and record and return the Assignment to the undersigned.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional filing fees due and any other fees due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or §1.17 during the pendency of this application to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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